

## Saved Girl's Life

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## "RELATIONS BY FRIENDSHIP"

### BEAUTY OF TACTFULNESS

"Paul," said Helena so suddenly that her brother almost jumped, "I want to give some parties."

"Good idea," said Paul cordially, returning to his book.

"Yes; but, Paul, do listen. I really want to give some nice ones. People have been so good to us ever since we've been in Hillsboro that I think we ought to begin to return their kindness. They can't be anything elaborate, of course, because we haven't a maid, and, really, we haven't any lavish amount of money either. Housekeeping's dreadfully expensive here. But they all understand, and something simple"—Her voice dropped off into thoughtful silence.

"O, go ahead," said Paul reassuringly. "They know I'm only instructor, and they won't expect nightingales' tongues, even if I do teach Latin. And you used to get up corking chafing dish suppers when I was at college. Whom are you going to have?"

"Well, your department, of course, and the Bickfords (they've been the nicest of all) and the Smiths and the Trueman and the Dean and Mrs. Sedgewick (he's a dear, and she's a whole lesson in living) and, O, everybody!"

After her brother had gone to recitation, Helena sat down to make out her list.

"I won't telephone them," she said half aloud. "That's a little too informal. I'll just make what Paul calls a 'personally conducted canvass' and ask them myself."

List in hand, she started out in her prettiest frock and with happy anticipation written in every curve of her smiling face.

"My dear, its awfully good of you," said Mrs. Bickford when Helena asked her. "But don't feel that you must have us. You haven't any maid, and in this heat"—

"But," began Helena, flushing a little, "I've kept house for years, you know; and really, Paul is so easy to satisfy that I don't have a hard time at all. And I'd love to be nice to all of you; you've been so good to us." And then Mrs. Bickford hesitatingly consented.

At most of the houses the girl met the same well-meant reluctant acceptances. Everyone was afraid that she "would overdo" and repeated in different ways what she knew already, that "she had no maid" and that the "weather was abominably hot."

At the Dean's house she paused a moment in perplexity.

"Is it worth while going in?" she questioned. "They mean to be kind, I know; but can't they understand that I want to do my part too?"

Mrs. Sedgewick met her cordially at the door. She was a large, fair woman, eminently lovable. Helena always thought of her house as a safe harbor of souls.

"Mrs. Sedgewick," she began doubtfully, "we're giving a little piazza supper Wednesday night. Will you and the Dean come?"

"Why, dear child, we'd love to," answered Mrs. Sedgewick blithely. "I've been hoping you'd ask us, and your piazza is really the prettiest in all Hillsboro for a summer supper."

"It will be very simple. I haven't a maid, you know," warned Helena. But her spirits were rising.

"All the more fun," said Mrs. Sedgewick, laughing. "and you're so clever that you'll manage it easily."

Helena rose to go. Her eyes were full of tears. Impulsively she turned to the older woman.

"Why don't you discourage me like the others—tell me its too hard, that I haven't a maid, and all the rest of it?" she asked.

"Because," said Mrs. Sedgewick gravely, "I would almost rather have you break down than see the fine flame of hospitality quenched."

"O!" cried Helena happily. "That was what my mother always said. You understand too."

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Wildersville circuit, Wildersville, August 28-29.  
Selmer circuit, Sulphur Springs, September 4-5.  
Craneville circuit, Eureka, September 11-12.  
Bethel and Selmer, Bethel, September 12-13.  
Lexington circuit, Nebo, September 18-19.  
Lexington station, Lexington, September 19-20.  
Hollow Rock circuit, Mount Zion, September 25-26.  
Huntingdon station, Huntingdon, September 26-27.  
Scott's Hill circuit, Ebenezer, October 2-3.  
Saltillo and Sardis, Sardis, October 3-4.  
Shiloh circuit, Shiloh, October 9-10.  
Adamsville circuit, Bethlehem, October 10-11.  
Enville mission, Enville, October 16-17.  
Camden circuit, Liberty, October 23-24.  
Camden station, Camden, October 24-25.  
Bath Springs circuit, Center, October 30-31.  
Decaturville circuit, Parsons, October 31 and November 1.  
Holladay circuit, McIlwain, November 6-7.

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